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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a 1-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed February 14, 2008, said period of response being extended from May 14, 2008 to June 14, 2008.

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